

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

OXFORD LODGE, F. & A. M. No. 18. Meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, on or before full moon. Herman L. Bartlett, W. M.; Howard D. Smith, Secretary.

OXFORD ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 29. Meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. A. W. Walker, W. M.; Geo. E. Tubb, Secretary.

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NORWAY LODGE, No. 16, I. O. O. F. Meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. Henry J. Bangs, N. G.; C. G. Mason, Sec'y.

WILDEY ENCAMPMENT, No. 21, I. O. O. F. Meets in their hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Frank D. Briggs, C. P.; C. G. Mason, Sec'y.

Mrs. Hove Russell Lodge, No. 58, I. O. O. F. Meets in Odd Fellows' Hall, Friday evening, on or before full moon. Ada A. Libby, N. G.; Eva M. Kimball, Sec'y.

PENNSBURY LODGE, No. 18, K. of P. Meets in their hall, Hathaway Block, every Thursday evening. Jesse P. Edwards, C. G.; M. L. Kimball, K. of R. & S.

A. O. NOVES COMPANY, No. 12, U. R. K. of P. Meets in Pythian Hall, the third Friday evening in each month. Mrs. A. L. Cook, C. G.; Emma Abbott, K. of R. & S.

NORWAY COMETRY, No. 247, U. O. G. C. Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month. H. L. Boynton, K. of R.

LAKESIDE LODGE, No. 17, N. E. O. P. Meets in G. A. R. hall, on the first and third Wednesday evenings of each month. Charles S. Libby, Warden; Ada A. Libby, Secretary.

SEATREE COLONY, No. 189, U. O. P. F. Meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at G. A. R. Hall. G. A. Morse, Gov.; W. Locke, Secretary.

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Lost and Found.

Lost.
The butterfly Pleasure crossed her path and beckoned her. Oh, day of wrath! She never returned to the place of parting from the butterfly chase. Though long she tried to wander back. But soon she learned the heavy cost. The weary day of being lost. And felt the scorn of those who spun a Woman trying to return.
Wary and worn she struggles on. Rowed low by universal scorn. And all because she lost her way. When life was young. Ah, well-a-day!

Found.
A Man was once in early youth Governed by purity and truth. But found himself being reckoned "slow" So dropped his puritanic ways. And won his first faint meed of praise. He learned with soft, caressing way The heart of womanhood to sway. With disengaged words he strives A heart's desire to satisfy. Until the whole world hears the sound, When lo, ye gods, the Man is found! He's gone, he's gone, he's gone! And Life rolls on. Ah, well-a-day!
CORA M. W. GREENLEAF.

Christmas Angels.
NORTENSE GARDNER GREGG.
Lighted as full the snowflakes From cloudy heights above, Angel footsteps glided
Bright were the Heavenly sunbeams, Bright with glory fair,
On Bethlehem's lonely hill, Peace rested everywhere.
O, grand was the white-robed vision! They knelt in adoration,
Each good-crowned head bowed lowly In the presence of their King.
And sweeter than music echoed: "Our Prince of Peace descended
From the Father's throne of light."

"Go, carry the glad news eastward! To hearts in sorrow there Tell of the Saviour's coming Who will all hearts bless."
On snowy outstretched pinions, Down from the starry blue, there a diving elf, who goes head foremost from a cliff erected over the spot where Roosevelt stood when he delivered his speech, accepting the honor bestowed upon him by the republicans, down fifty feet into a tank of water.

Sportsmen's Show.
Maine is Particularly Interested in these Shows. It Brings Her Lakes, Streams and Forests before the eyes of the people. Her Keenest Out-Door Life to the Homes of the Cities. It Helps to Make the Entire State One Summer Playground.

Under the same roof where the good and true Republicans of the country roared and cheered themselves hoarse, in June of last year, when William McKinley, for the family, was opening a named to carry the standards of the party through a strenuous campaign, a "Sportsmen's Show" is being held. It opened the day before Thanksgiving, and will continue for one month. It is largely a reproduction of the show held in Madison Square Garden, New York, of which I wrote at the time.

The National Exposition Buildings were built to show the modern improvements during the present years; thus far they have filled their purpose admirably. The exhibition of the handicraft of the workmen of all the shops in the country, then the Republican politicians showed the lay man, and Senator Thomas Platt, of New York, in particular, how a man is named for President of the United States of these United States. Today, the Ojibwa tribe of Indians from the shores of Lake Superior, where Longfellow wrote the Hiawatha love song, spend their time showing visitors how easily they can smoke a clay pipe. In fact, they would hardly be taken for devotees of the weed as it is consumed in the long-stemmed cornucopia of their own manufacture.

Heretofore, when a city resident wanted a breath of the forests' fragrance, he, perhaps at great cost, had to go to the sound of the savage beast in his native jungle he had to go to the jungle to hear it. If he sighed for the joys of the free life that only the hunter knows he had to take them tempered with the discomforts of the outdoors.

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Wallie Lary and a party of friends from South Paris have been here on a hunting expedition.
Six fine deer were taken out here, Monday, the 9th, by a party of sportsmen from Camp Comfort, who came from Portland, we understand.
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forts of wading through watery bogs, tumbling into mudholes, and sleeping in damp woods. Now, thanks to the advance of science and invention, he may enjoy all these delights without suffering any of their disadvantages by attending to a sportsman's show held once or twice a year in either Boston, New York or Philadelphia. Moreover, in place of the drawbacks before mentioned, he will find many additional elements of pleasure which Nature, in her pristine haunts, never will deny him.

He may wander through the forest primeval without fear of losing his way, because it is very thoroughly illuminated by electric lights, and there's a nuisance. He may hearken to the cry of the prairie wolf and the wail of the loon to the accompaniment of a marine band and a hurdy gurdy organ. He may behold the Indian in his savage wildness simply taking a chair and cooking his feet on a rail, and if the tang of the woodwind wind spurs his appetite he can step over to any one of the dozen booths and get a plate of baked beans or a box of candy.

This union of the pastoral with the urban is bound to be alluring to all sorts and conditions of man at all times, and, although a few details of the show are still missing, there is ever a crowd of eager spectators throughout the day and evening.

The chief attraction is the Indian village, the small fair, the nickel novel, the cigar stand, the other holding fast to a cigarette stub, views them with open-mouthed wonder. The Indians are great actors. Their rendition of Hiawatha is superb, as well as spectacular. Brave red men from the tribes of Ojibwa, from the arctic wastes of the north, in the play, and the realism of the mountain scenery, together with the "genuine" dancing and chanting of the braves and their squaws and papposes makes the illusion.

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The water fowl enclosure attracts considerable attention, as does also the other exhibits tending to show the almost unknown resources of natural history. The fish are from government hatcheries and they are dying fast. The water which is supplied to Philadelphia is very poor. In fact, it is so poor that there are less fish dealers in this city than in any other city in the country, the reason being charged to the fact that the housewives catch their supply for the family by opening a faucet and saving Skunkhill water as it gushes out. Up to this time about one-half of the sportsmen's show exhibit of trout have died from poor water.

Of course, there are one each of the deer, moose, elk and caribou families, as well as of fox, bear and coon. On the lake aquatic contests for world's championships are held each afternoon and evening, and there are track events of different kinds. On another floor there is a bazaar, where are shown different articles from Siberia, and Patagonia, Brazil and Java, Arizona and Australia, to say nothing of the city stores. Everything that a true sportsman ever longed for, and many more things he never knew existed, are to be examined here. But it is all useless to attempt to describe such a show in all its glory and fullness. You must see it. That's the only way to understand it.

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ANDOVER.

Notes on Religious Matters.
The Universalist social gave a hulled corn supper on Thursday evening Dec. 17, in the vestry of the Universalist church.

The meeting of the Local Union of the Y. P. S. C. E. of Oxford county was held at Mechanic Falls. Florence Talbot was appointed to represent the Andover society. Miss G. Waterworth, Mr. and Mrs. William Newhall, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Barnes attended. Florence Talbot and Gertrude Waterworth visited Hebron on their return from Mechanic Falls.

A series of Sunday morning sermons on themes of vital moment:
Dec. 22—God's Unspeakable Gift.
Dec. 29—Looking Backward: God's Faithfulness.
Jan. 12, 1902—Looking Forward: God's Promises.

Jan. 19—Man asking: God giving.
Jan. 26—Man using: God ministering.
At Congregational church, Andover, Rev. J. A. Hannaford, pastor.

Rev. G. B. Hannaford preached at the M. S. church on Sunday, Dec. 8. There was an interesting meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. in the evening, led by Mrs. Tom French, subject, Using One's Ability for Good. A very interesting report of the meeting of the Local Union at Mechanic Falls was given by Florence Talbot, delegate. It seems Rev. C. S. C. E., was there and conducted a Round Table exercise, giving much information as to the ways and methods of conducting Y. P. S. C. E. meetings. An interesting talk by Mrs. E. B. Rand who is a returned missionary and an address by Rev. B. S. Rideout were highly spoken of. We were glad that the Local Society of Andover could give a good report. A business meeting was held at close of services and a committee reported officers for the ensuing 6 months and also committees appointed. These will be reported later.

The schools in the rural districts resumed work Dec. 2.

Mrs. Swift of Farmington is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Ripley.

Bertha Poor has recovered from her indisposition and we are glad to see her resume her school duties again.

Owen Lovejoy made a trip to Sunday River recently looking after the logging operations in that locality.

Mrs. B. B. Poor entertained the ladies' circle connected with the Congregational church on Wednesday evening, Dec. 11.

Flora Gilbert arrived two weeks ago from Monson where she has spent her vacation. She has resumed her school work.

Rev. J. A. Waterworth delivered the last of the series which had for its subject, Brotherly Kindness and Love. These have been highly interesting and instructive.

There was a Farmers' Institute in Union hall, Dec. 13th. They had a fine dinner followed by speeches and discussions. This is highly beneficial to farmers and all interested in agriculture.

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FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.
A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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Shot in the Shoulder.
Last week, R. A. Storey received bad news from his youngest brother Frank, who had been shot through the left shoulder. He started immediately for Moore's Mills.

Mrs. F. A. Flint spent several days at Donald Cameron's caring for Mrs. Peter Bennett, who has been quite sick.

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RUMFORD.
T. H. Burgess is reported as gaining very slowly.

E. A. Barker is visiting his son and brother in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mrs. Colson Abbott is very feeble and her recovery is very doubtful.

Susie Elliott and Mrs. H. A. Stevens are both confined to the house by sickness.

Mrs. Gammon has opened a stock of dry goods and groceries at the S. R. Hutchins house.

The remains of Hall Torrey were brought to Rumford Point from Massachusetts for burial.

Fred Barker, wife and child with Bert Barker of Paris spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barker.

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Dec. 21—The Gay Widow, Norway Opera House.
 Dec. 22—Sunlight dancing party, Xmas afternoon, Norway Opera House.
 Dec. 23—Oxford County Medical Association, Mechanics Falls.
 Jan. 1—Maine's sportsmen's Association, Augusta.

New Advertisements.

New store—S. D. Andrews, Page 8.
 Christmas giving—H. B. Foster, "10.
 Christmas candy—E. F. Bicknell, "8.
 Hardware—Wm. C. Leavett, "8.
 Photographs—J. G. Hamlin, "8.
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John W. Chadbourn of Oxford has had his pension renewed, \$45.

Stephenson, the boat and canoe builder, Norway, wants lumber in exchange for boats or canoes. See ad. and call or write to him.

Those who have filed petitions in bankruptcy are W. Carl Ellis and Edy McDonald, Rumford Falls; Everett L. York, Brownfield.

The Maine Pedagogical Society will meet at the State House, Augusta, Dec. 26 and 27. This is their 23rd annual meeting. There are six members in Oxford county.

If you have rags to work into rugs call on Mrs. C. F. Pattee, Oxford, and see how nicely she can weave them and inspect samples. It is worth your while to look this up.

The special sale at Brickett & Wiggin's cannot fail to attract. See ad. in another column and call at their store. Rubbers for 25 cents, and shirts and drawers for 42 cents.

There were only 99 present at the opening of the three days' session of the Maine State Grange at Bangor, Tuesday morning. The storm was accountable for the small number. Obadiah Gardner of Rockland has been re-elected State Master. Boyden Beane of East Eddington was chosen overseer, and W. J. Thompson of South China was re-elected lecturer.

Col. C. H. French, the lecturer, is now at Cleveland, Ohio, on a lecture tour. The Colonel found an item in an Ohio paper that was copied from the Advertiser. The item was entitled "A Wedding Feast in Maine," and it so pleased the Colonel that he sent it to us with the remark, "and thus the fame of Oxford county endures the world!" Surely it was a great occasion.

Ripley—West. Friday evening, in Andover, at 8 o'clock, at the home of the bride, Charles Lyman Ripley and Helen Laura West were joined in holy bonds of matrimony. None but the immediate relatives and friends of the bride and groom were present. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Manly Townsend, pastor of the Universalist church at Dixfield. The bride looked very charming in a beautiful white gown of muslin silk, trimmed with pale blue. The ring ceremony was used.

Both bride and groom were born in Andover and are members of prominent families. Mrs. Ripley is the daughter of Asa West, until recently a large dealer in the lumber business. She is a graduate of Westbrook Seminary, of Portland. Mr. Ripley is the son of J. Lyman Ripley, a successful farmer. Mr. Ripley is employed in the store of C. A. Dresser. The happy couple left Saturday for a brief tour through Maine and New Hampshire. They will make their residence in Andover. Congratulations from a host of friends follow them.

HANOVER.

Adams Kimball. Our community was shocked, last week, by the sudden death of Adams Kimball, one of our leading citizens. He contracted a sudden cold which developed into pneumonia and he lived only a few days. Since his wife's death, a few years ago, Mr. Kimball has lived with his son John, whose estimable wife has done everything for his comfort that an own daughter could do. The elderly people of Hanover are dropping off one by one, and there are so few children to fill their places.

Mrs. Sophia Roberts Bartlett visited her brothers, last week. Arthur Howe is caring for Gardner Roberts in his illness.

Etta M. Howe is clerking for J. B. Roberts during the Christmas trade. The rain of Saturday and Sunday carried the ice out of the river and took the snow from the hills. The water in the pond rose several feet which fact is very cheering to the mill owners along its outlet.

NORTHWEST NORWAY.

Orin Brown's children, Susie Kimball and Ruth Beane had chicken pox. Edna Brown has returned to the Normal school at Farmington where she has made many friends.

Francis Asbury Blake was aged 83 and died Nov. 2d, last week of 30 years old as it read in the last week's paper. Mrs. E. C. Walker has gone to Dartmouth, Mass., to visit her daughter, Mrs. S. T. Arno, and other relatives and friends.

WEST MINOT.

38 deg. colder, Monday morning, than Sunday morning. Lu Thomas is at work in the shoe shop in Auburn.

Minnie Howard went to Auburn, Friday, for a long visit.

A baby girl came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Beare, Dec. 8. James Thomas is at work on the electric cars in Auburn and Lewiston.

Mrs. E. A. Attwood has gone to Mechanics Falls to stay with her daughter a while.

A very powerful rain, Sunday. The ice broke up in the river and a good deal went out.

LOVELL.

W. C. Bassett, the jeweler, invites you to visit his store and see the goods he has and get his prices. Read his ad. in this paper.

BETHEL.

Officers Elected.

Monday evening, Sudbury Colony, U. O. P. F., elected the following officers:

Gov.—J. C. Billings.
 Lt. Gov.—S. L. French.
 Sec.—E. C. French.
 Treas.—E. S. Kilborn.

The officers of Bethel Lodge, No. 97, E. U. O. P. F., were publicly installed, Thursday evening, by D. D. G. M., D. A. Gates of Dixfield assisted by George L. Merrill of Dixfield as grand marshal.

W. M.—W. Bowler.
 S. W.—E. H. Young.
 J. W.—H. M. Farwell.
 Treas.—H. C. Rowe.
 Sec.—D. G. Lovejoy.
 J. D.—A. C. Frost.
 S. S.—D. H. Mason.
 J. S.—A. Vandenberghe.
 Chap.—Rev. F. B. Barton.
 Tyler—J. F. Ball.
 Marshal—G. R. Wiley.

There were vocal solos by Mrs. A. G. Wiley and Jane G. Hanson and Ethel Richardson. The banquet was served by the ladies of the Congregational society at Garland chapel.

The pianist was Ruth King. There were speeches by many of the brothers, also a few by the ladies. At the close of the evening a hymn was sung and the whole evening's program one of the pleasantest.

The Storm.

The Androscoggin river was higher, because of Sunday's rain, than for many years. Pulp wood which had been landed on the banks of the river in the vicinity of Bethel was carried away or scattered about the fields. Considerable damage was caused to roads and owners of timber.

The storm was among the record breakers. Who ever knew before of a freshet that broke up of ice by a warm rain, then turning around so cold as to freeze and close the river again with new ice on the following day? That is what it did here in Bethel, last Saturday and Monday, and the oldest inhabitants say they never remember of its being so cold before. Our fine sleighing disappeared in a night, Saturday, and the ground perfectly bare on Sunday morning. It is claimed by some that it was the highest water since 1850.

The interior of the Methodist church, built a few years ago, is being decorated and painted.

Thursday afternoon and evening, a handkerchief bazaar, sale and supper at Garland chapel.

A reception was given the Bowdoin College Club and Mandolin clubs after the concert, Friday evening, at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Gehring.

Mrs. Benj. W. Kimball of Bethel, who for some time has been at the Maine General Hospital in Portland for treatment, is considerably improved in health and is expected to return home in a few weeks with Mr. Kimball's sister, Mrs. Mabel Bean.

Zero weather Monday and Tuesday mornings.

A. H. Hutchinson has been shut up for a week with sickness.

Red J. Farwell of Boston made a short visit to his parents, Mr. C. C. Farwell and wife.

George W. Goddard has returned from Canada and is working for Harry Plaisted.

Harry Brown was out on the street today for the first time since the critical operation of five weeks ago.

C. M. Wormell was notable to auctioneer the table at Miss Twitchell's and A. D. Park of South Paris substituted on this Wednesday p. m.

The high water floated one hundred and twenty-five cords of pulp wood that F. L. Edwards had piled on the banks of Alder river and spread it over many acres and back into the woods.

HARRISON.

James G. Jones dead. Our druggist, James Jones, who has been very ill for some time past, passed away at his home, Friday evening, Dec. 13. Mr. Jones was a native of Oxford and has been the druggist here for four years. He was a man of great musical ability but hasn't played much recently on account of failing eyesight. He leaves a wife and one daughter, and two brothers to mourn his loss. Prayers were held at his home, Monday morning at 8 a. m., after which the body was carried to Oxford for burial.

Mr. Jones was a member of the Masons, R. A. M. St. Albans, and the G. A. R.

He resided most of his life in Oxford, also in Norway and Wakefield, Mass., before coming to this town.

Hot Blast in Harrison. While Moses Hall was working in the woods for a neighbor, Wednesday afternoon, his house and ell, situated in the northern part of the town in what is known as Hall's Corner, was burned to the ground, only a small part of the furniture and the barn being saved.

The loss will be quite heavy, but the buildings are insured with a Norway agency for a small amount.

Preaching Services. Rev. Mr. Saer of Bridgton preached at the Congregational church, Sunday. Owing to the weather there was a very small congregation but the sermon was excellent. Next Sunday, Rev. Mr. Hague of Kennebunk will preach.

For convenience the service will be at 2 p. m. instead of 1.30 as Revs. Hague and Saer will come alternately to preach.

Louis Patch of Bridgton is working a Hollis Caswell's.

Friday evening, the customary circle will be held at the Congregational vestry.

Mrs. Louise Briggs and son Lawrence visited her mother, Mrs. A. F. Whitney, a few days the first of the week.

Friday evening, the Bolster's Mills dramatic club played "The Wagon Trail" to a well filled house. The drama was well played and gave credit to the club. A social dance followed in which quite a few couples took part. Knight's Orchestra furnished excellent music.

EAST OXFORD.

Lou Deau worked at Geo. P. Whitney's, last week.

Will S. Thayer of Auburn is visiting his brother, A. B. Thayer.

Sebastian Smith of Fore street was at Geo. P. Whitney's, Thursday.

Ethel M. Billings is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ermina B. White, at Lisbon Falls.

Mrs. Joe Gerry and son with her mother, Mrs. Thomas Johnson, spent Thursday with her sister, Rose Billings, at Hebron.

PARIS HILL.

Cummings Hall.

It has been decided to christen the hall that is being finished under the Baptist church in the old town house. Cummings Hall in memory of the late Joseph C. Cummings through whose influence the work was started.

Capt. and Mrs. H. W. Lyon are expected here on Saturday for a short stay. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Free of Lewiston were guests at the Hubbard House, last week.

Lieut. Thomas W. Brown, U. S. A., son of Capt. E. T. Brown, is ordered to the Philippines.

Miss E. T. Parlin, who has been at home for a few weeks, returned to Portland, Wednesday.

H. L. Scribner is making somewhat extensive changes in the buildings on the place he recently bought of L. E. Newell.

Our Westbrook students are home for Christmas. Miss Pierce and Miss Cole returned to Westbrook, Dec. 20th, for the next term.

Mrs. H. E. Crocker has closed her house here and gone to Ocala, Fla., for the rest of the winter. Dr. and Mrs. Aldrich will be in Georgia for a time.

Rev. W. Hooper will preach at the Universalist church, next Sunday. This will be a Christmas service. Subject of sermon, "What Does Christmas Mean to You?"

W. E. Perkins has secured a fine position as collector for the Metropolitan Furniture Co. of Springfield, Mass. Mr. Perkins has been a very well known citizen of Paris and his moving to Rockville, Ct., was a loss to the village.

George F. Stearns, whose death occurred at Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 7th, was a native of Paris where he was born, next summer. He leaves two sons, two brothers and three sisters. He was 76 years old.

South Paris.

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The bulkhead and flume at A. E. Shurtleff's mill was saved in the recent freshet by the hard work of men assisted by bales of excelsior.

Alfred Fur attended the cat show in Lewiston last Wednesday. Thursday Don Bean and Charles Stuart also visited the show which is reported as well worth attending.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist church held a sale of fancy and useful articles at the Baptist vestry last Wednesday afternoon. In the evening, there was a concert and several readings by the best local talent.

The Progress Literary Club met Wednesday evening of this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fletcher. A very pleasant and instructive evening was spent by the members in the study of the literature of the Elizabethan Age.

Harry Wheeler, who has been attending high school in Wakefield, Mass., preparatory to entering Harvard, returns to his home in this place for the holiday season. Mr. Wheeler will clear away the Christmas trees during the rush of Christmas trade. Ray Chapman also works for Mr. Plummer for a short time.

Rev. W. H. Hooper will preach again in the New Hall, South Paris, this Sunday, Dec. 22, at 2.30 p. m. The subject of his sermon will be "What Does Christmas Mean to You?"

Mr. Hooper will also answer briefly a question asked by an attendant upon one of the other churches; "What would Universalism do with the murderer of President McKinley?"

The senior class of the High school are rehearsing the drama "Aristocracy" to be played early in the new year.

Hank Jordan, Milton McAllister, Nat Webster, Roy Porter, George Grimes, Harry Snow, Hallelujah Billy, Roy Loe, Zeuss Grimes, Frank Bonney, Susie Smith, Rex Swift, Josie Walker, Josie Walker, Grace Stuart.

Streaked Mountain.

Frank Penley is hauling pulp to South Paris.

Herbert Allen is done work for Carroll King.

The ice has gone out of S. M. King's mill pond.

Ralph Sturtevant is cutting birch for Carroll King.

Charles Edwards has gone to Bangor to attend Grange.

S. M. King lost one of his valuable heifers, recently.

Lulu Briggs is gaining. Mrs. F. A. Briggs is on the sick list.

Fred W. Allen is at work at Mechanic Falls, running an engine.

A. B. Canwell and T. F. Thibodeau have got up their winter's wood.

Tellus Thibodeau is laid up with a bad cold. Colds are all the rage now.

We had a powerful rain and had washed out. The roads are in awful shape. Joseph Briggs talks of going to Rumford Falls to deliver Christmas books.

Quite an explosion at Al Sturtevant's recently. A bottle of kerosene oil burst.

Dr. J. G. Littlefield got his horse lamed and carriage broken going to John Ryerson's to attend Mrs. Ryerson and two children who are sick with sore throat.

WILSON'S MILLS.

Winter of Surprises.

This is a winter of surprises. First three feet of snow, and, Friday afternoon, cattle and sheep were feeding in the pastures and fields. A very warm rain, Saturday night and Sunday.

W. H. Hart still on the sick list. F. A. Flint and wife have gone to Rerlin.

L. E. York is in town again with his portable steam engine, sawing wood.

Mrs. Eliza Pingree went to the lower town, Monday, to visit her sister, Mrs. J. S. Wilson.

David York is doing chores for R. A. Storey, who is still at Moore's Mills with his brother, Frank Clark, who remains in a critical condition.

WEST SUMMER.

John Heath cut foot is doing nicely. H. T. Heath moved into his house last week.

G. W. Heath bought a heifer of Winslow Morrill.

Owen, a small boy of C. S. Bonney's fell on the stove oven door, cutting his ear so the doctor took two stitches in it, Wednesday of last week.

Advertised Letters, Norway.
 Edie Herick, Mrs. May E. French,
 Merton W. Dutton, E. W. Barton,
 Albert Yates, H. Neal.

BUCKFIELD.

Wreck on F. & R. F. Railroad.

A freight train occurred on the Portland & Sanford Falls Railroad at Buckfield, last Tuesday, and, although no one was injured, eight freight cars were completely demolished and the damage, including interrupted traffic, was great. The exact damage at the time of writing had not been ascertained.

The wreck was caused by the parting of the train and failure of the air-brakes to work.

Christmas.

Christmas is coming, or so it is said. Pocket are empty with many a red, and what is borrowed, to bridge over the tide. These are conditions which we must abide. Turkey and mince and chickens are high. I guess so, that Thanksgiving pie! No, I'll mention, I'll not even try to explain it, they will say "A lie."

Just think of the story my neighbor has told. About lies and such, so brazen and bold—You are entitled to turkey and mince. For the lies you've told for the public press.

Yes, they say that Christmas is coming. We hear of no great demonstrations imminent.

John Irish has two sick boys.

Mrs. Ellen Thomas is improving.

Joseph Emery of Boston is visiting relatives in town.

Edwin Maxim and wife have recently visited in Auburn.

The Methodist church fair is to be held at Nezinsoot hall, Dec. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Pratt of Rumford Falls were in town over Sunday.

Howard P. Shaw, who is at home from Boston School of Technology, is improving in health.

A. W. Horton and wife of Sumner with Gladys Buck of Norway were the guests of G. Tilton, Friday.

We hear that Preston Heald of North Buckfield has bought out E. G. Cole's interest in the meat business.

Dr. Heald went down to Arthur Lowell's, Monday, to fumigate the house, the children having recovered from diphtheria.

In common with all others we have here the fire bursting through the door of John Kemp's saw mill, and gave the alarm at once and soon all the neighbors were there to render assistance. It was to late to save the buildings but the household goods were all saved. At 1.30 o'clock, mill, stable and house were all in ashes. The mill was insured and the house and stable were insured for \$1000. It was only by the smart work of the men that the store of Mrs. A. S. Lowell was saved.

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Fryeburg.

Academy Affairs.

The fall term of Fryeburg Academy closed, Dec. 13th. The winter term will begin, Dec. 31st. With the present population of teachers and the increased facilities for board it is hoped that many new scholars will be enrolled.

The drama at New Church hall given by the Senior class of the academy was a success. About \$50 were taken which shows that there was an audience of about 200. The class has had good instruction from Susan Walker, teacher of elocution, and did their parts almost to perfection.

Clara Page is helping Mrs. Frye in the store through the holidays.

George M. Hackett is our city butcher, this year, and is having a big business.

Mrs. M. B. Barker, who has been abroad, the past season, returned, last week.

The Red Men have invited several adjoining tribes to meet with them, Thursday evening of this week.

Mrs. Albert Fifield has opened a stock of fancy goods, etc., in her building formerly used for a doctor's office.

E. E. Hastings, esq., has had electric lights put in his law office and Miss Eaton's dressmaking rooms overhead.

The rain and very warm weather of Saturday and Sunday have taken the snow entirely off and caused a great rise of water. The road across intervals was impassable for two or three days.

The District Lodge of Good Templars at East Conway, last Friday, was fairly well attended. A public meeting was held in the evening addressed by Rev. T. P. B. Stone of Fryeburg and Rev. T. P. Baker of Conway and Mr. Smith of Rock-ester.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Candy Cakes, cure constipation forever. No. 30. H. C. C. Co. Ltd., druggists, refund money.

EAST OTISFIELD.

A Serious Blaze.

Monday night, at 11.15 o'clock, as Ernest Maxwell was returning from Oxford he saw the fire bursting through the door of John Kemp's saw mill, and gave the alarm at once and soon all the neighbors were there to render assistance. It was to late to save the buildings but the household goods were all saved. At 1.30 o'clock, mill, stable and house were all in ashes. The mill was insured and the house and stable were insured for \$1000. It was only by the smart work of the men that the store of Mrs. A. S. Lowell was saved.

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Of course you do. Here's one of the Surest, Safest Ways to make money in the world: Buy an Annuity in the Equitable Life Assurance Society. They pay a Greater Profit than almost any investment open to the average man to-day, are Absolutely Safe and can be bought in Annual Installments. The Annuity to be paid as you direct. Get particulars at once.

New tenants in John Ward's house are Marshall Smith and family of Stow.

Mrs. S. F. Ballard is spending a few weeks with her granddaughter, Mrs. Eliza Walker.

Schools resumed their sessions, Monday, Dec. 9, with the same teachers as during the last term.

Several of the residents of this section attended a supper and entertainment at Mr. Webb's, South Chatham, last Saturday evening.

J. Whitman Towle, late of New Jersey, has removed with his family to make his home with his parents at the late Webster place near Swan's Falls.

Henry Andrews and Walter Lewis spent some days lately in Hartford and Sumner, returning the latter part of last week with four new steers bought during the trip. They report barns well filled with stock, hay, etc.

Dean A. Ballard has sold four pairs of steers in about as many weeks and bought a pair in Conway, Monday. Ray is justly proud of his three or four pairs of young steers when taken together and he is acquiring the reputation of an expert in the care and management of stock.

The oyster supper and sale of the Stirling Literary Club on Tuesday, Dec. 10, was a successful affair even if not realizing the reasonable expectations of those concerned. The day set was unfavorable and as no arrangement was made for postponement on account of weather

EAST HEBRON.

Christmas Festival.

There will be a Christmas festival in the Grange hall, Dec. 25th, with selections, recitations and dialogues by the children. The church and Grange unite in the entertainment.

The most boys are not at home now. The Grange is gaining a very little.

Mrs. Clara Saunders has gone to Lewiston to work. She went one week ago. No one need to complain for want of work. We have a bountiful supply in our vicinity.

No teams were seen on our roads, last Sunday, but every one of our citizens were glad to remain in doors.

No new cases of diphtheria are reported from the Lowell family and no one took the disease from them, we understand.

Many carloads of apples were shipped from our station, last week. Some were from Chase's Mills and some loads from Buckfield.

The Grange had their meeting, last Sunday, for election of officers, but did not succeed in electing them. An oyster supper was served.

The scholars in the Keene district are lamenting that their winter term of school will close, next week. They are much interested in their school and studies.

A company of negroes with one white man gave an entertainment in Grange hall, last Friday evening. Those who were there were highly entertained with their fun and wit.

NORTH BRIDGTON.

An Old Resident.

Lawson M. Whiting, an old resident of this town, died, Saturday night, after an illness of six days. The funeral was at his home, Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. H. A. Philbrook.

Xmas seed last week with Helen Hall at the Centre.

Mrs. Carrie Knights is visiting relatives in Windham.

J. A. Whiting has been at home from West Sumner on account of his father's illness.

Endora W. Gould returned to Farmington, last week, having spent her vacation at her home here.

Rev. A. G. Fitz has been confined to his room for several days but is slightly improved at the time of writing.

SEEDS FOR SALE. One set two-horse sleds. Call on or address Austin's Machine Shop, Norway, Me.

DR. AUSTIN TENNEY, OCUKIST
Graduate of the Chicago Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat School.
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I just finished a lot of those pretty Rattan Chairs. Also Fancy and Plain Ladies' Sewing Stands and Work Baskets. Glove Boxes, Children and Dolls' Chairs, Go-Carts and lots of other pretty things. Largest assortment in Oxford County. Call and be convinced.

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Lovell, Me.

Nov. 20, 1901.

MASON.

The Strength of Water.

Saturday night one of the worst rain storms since 1860 set in. We began to think of Noah's ark for a place of safety. Look which way we would it was water.

F. L. Bean's milldam was swept away, several hundred cords of timber belonging to Arthur Morrill, Arthur Tyler and Charles Brown were swept away, and the bridge near Oscar Mason's stands with one corner in the river, the abutment on the south side being washed out. The roads are all washed out, there is no passing except by foot people. The damage is estimated to be over five hundred dollars in this little town.

Eli Barker of Bethel was in town, the past week.

Archie Hutchinson has moved his family into one of the Hastings Brothers' rents at the Steam Mill.

A man came in from West Bethel, Monday. He says he had to ride the wire fence quite a distance.

Sunday, the mercury was up in the 50s, Monday morning it stood at zero and remained at that figure up to Tuesday morning.

Fuller, the hunter, and a chum, who have a camp at the west end, made their annual trip, last week. They went home to Oxford, Saturday. They had a good hunt but no game as a reward.

Fannie Barbour came from the West to see her mother, Mrs. G. H. Brown, who is very sick, and Sarah Swan of Lisbon Falls came to town, the past week. Sunday, she was much improved.

NORTH PARIS.

Will Run the Mill.

Charles Stevens will run the saw and grist mill at North Paris, this winter.

Mrs. Henry Littlehale is on the sick list.

Ben Kendall has visited at A. D. Littlehale's recently.

Mrs. Norah Briggs has visited at A. D. Littlehale's lately.

Mrs. J. G. Crawford and Zilpha have visited in Stark, N. H.

B. C. Curtis was at A. D. Littlehale's and E. E. Field's, Dec. 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. America Andrews visited at Charles Edwards', Dec. 12th.

Phin. Curtis is sick with typhoid fever at Charles Brett's in South Paris and his parents make frequent trips to see him.

Mrs. B. K. Dow has been on the sick list, also her son's wife is in quite poor health and Mrs. Jane Robbins has been at work for them but has got through and gone home.

NORTH BUCKFIELD.

Stood Empty Five Years.

Earl Hammond has hired the John Cressey house and got it ready. The house has stood empty five years. It seems good to see it opened again.

Isaac Fuller is on sick list.

Sylvanus Damon is in very poor health. Jennie Varney was at F. Heald's, the 13th.

An apple bee up to Steve Spaulding's, the 16th.

Carl Heald is going to have a telephone in his house.

Norman Bessey killed a pig that weighed 400 pounds.

Mrs. Varney from Sumner visited Mrs. C. Dunham, the 13th.

Mrs. Martha Record has been quite sick but is better now.

Rebecca Bicknell has a new stove which she likes very much.

Gideon Hammond has come out with a new sleigh and a nice fur overcoat.

Holman Monk is expected home from Orono, the 27th, for ten days' vacation.

Lilla Fletcher teaches the school in the Allen district and boards at Alvin Bessey's.

Mrs. Celia Dunham received the news, last week, of the death of a half sister in Wisconsin. The remains were brought to Mechanic Falls.

LOVELL CENTER.

L. C. Cushman has harvested his ice. Leonard Colt is back from Lynn for a short time.

John W. Kendall and his mother have gone to Rochester, N. H., on a visit.

Mrs. Benjamin Andrews has gone to live with her daughter in Bethel at present.

The annual donation of the Christian church was held at the parsonage, Tuesday, Dec. 17th.

J. D. Hatch and wife and H. W. Palmer attended the Christian conference at South Berwick.

Mr. Guborn is here with his family, this winter. They have rented Noah Palmer's house.

Mrs. Roscoe LeBaron is boarding at J. E. Farnham's, while Mr. LeBaron is working in Sebago.

Etta Gray, who has been working for Mrs. H. W. Palmer, the past few months, is at work for Mrs. Volk.

Mabel Bryant has returned to E. T. Stearns'. She was at her home in North Waterford on a short vacation.

Mrs. J. E. Farnham was visited, last week, by a lady from Lowell, Mass., a friend whom she had not seen for over twenty years. She will spend the winter in South Carolina.

WEST BROWNFIELD.

Mrs. Ella Rogers was the guest of Mrs. David Crum, one day last week.

Darius Littlefield has sold his apples to Monroe French of South Hiram.

Mrs. L. K. Rogers has bought a new stove of Sears, Roebuck & Company.

Nettie Mason of South Hiram is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. Dennett.

Frankie Gilpatrick of South Hiram was at Simon Hanscom's, one day last week.

Charlie Dennett is very sick with typhoid fever. Phil. Dennett is doing his chores while he is sick.

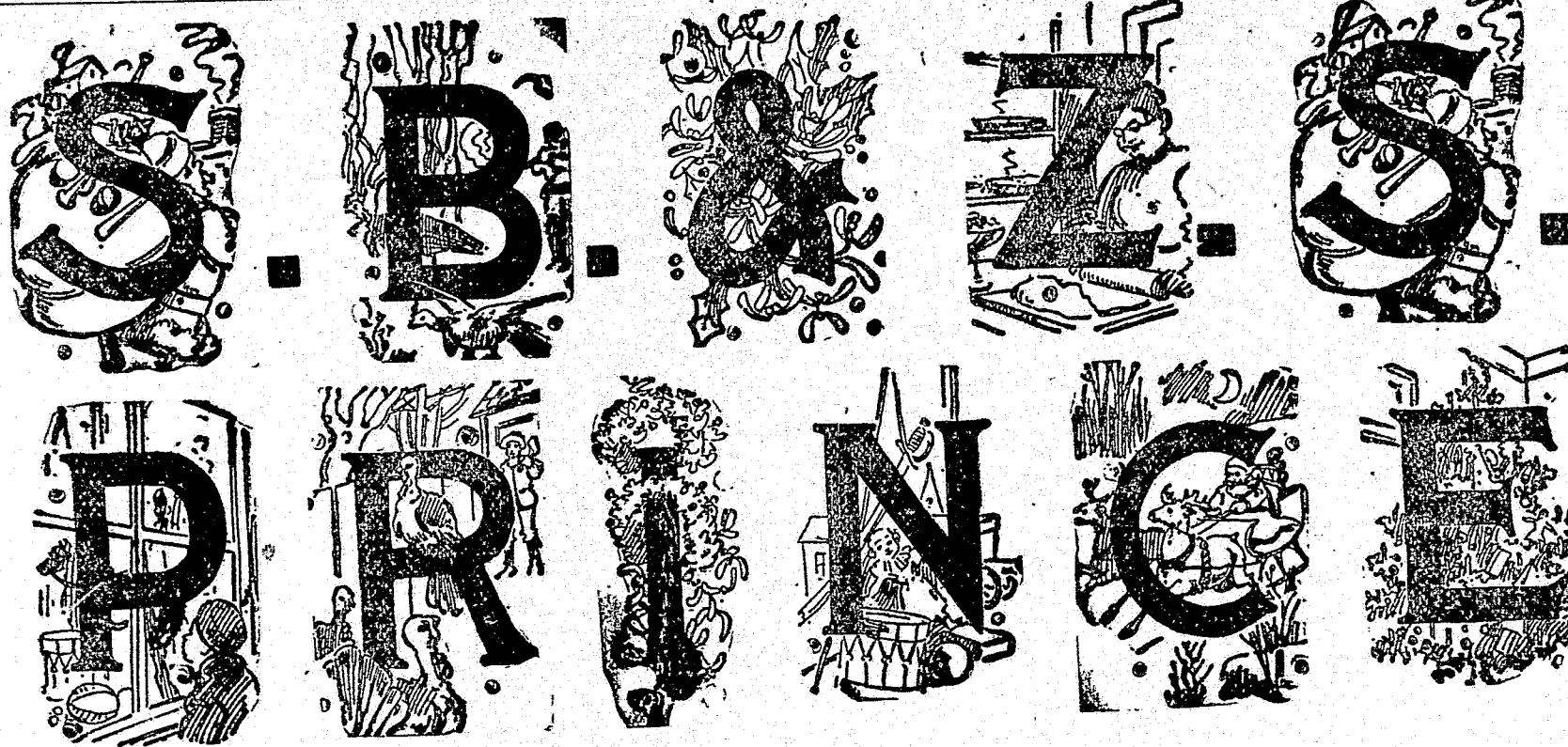
The rain of Saturday and Sunday has carried the snow about all off and moved the brook to full banks.

Ivory Cole and wife are going to live with South Conway to live with Mr. Cole's son, A. T. Cole, for the winter.

Shaw Business College Reunion.

The annual reunion of the students of the above named institution takes place at the College rooms at Portland, Augusta and Bangor, on Saturday evening, Jan. 4, 1902.

A cordial invitation is extended to all who have been connected with the institution since its organization, seventeen years ago. Excellent programs have been prepared and an enjoyable time is anticipated.



Christmas China Novelties.

Sterling Silver Novelties.

Baskets of all kinds, Sets of Table Linen, \$5.00 to \$10.00, Elegant Line of Towels. Handkerchiefs, plain and fancy, including Ladies' and Gents' Initials, White Aprons, 25c to \$1.00, A Fresh Line of Toilet Soaps, Portemonnies, Chatelaine Bags, Boston Bags, Perfumes.

Also Full Line of Staple Dry and Fancy Goods, Ladies' and Children's Garments, Dress Goods and Waistings, Black and Fancy Silks and Satins, Silk and Wool Waists, Blankets, Gingham, Prints, etc.

Horne Block,

Main Street,

Norway, Maine.



WEST BETHEL.

How a Woman Advertises.

Wanted by a middle aged lady who is good looking, fine appearing and jolly company, a man who is able and willing to provide a good home and is willing to keep wood and water here and there and to know how to lace up a lady's boot and to do housework which may be required of him, and must be pleasant and agreeable at all times. None others need apply.

An Only Child Taken.

Died in Lewiston, Dec. 9th, Elsie Ordway, only child of Fred L. and Alice Ordway of Gilead, aged 4 years and 24 days. Funeral was held at the home of her parents, Dec. 12th. A good number of friends and relatives were present, among whom were her grandmother and two uncles and two aunts from Errol, N. H., also her grandfather Rev. F. E. Frank and several other relatives. The funeral was held at the home of her parents, Dec. 12th. The floral tributes were tastefully arranged by Mrs. Yitella Davis and the remarks were heard, "How nice she looks."

Elsie was a smart little girl of her age. But a few months ago she met with an accident which caused an injury and she was taken to Lewiston hospital for treatment and died while there. Everything was done that human hands and money could do, but it was impossible to save her. She was the pet of her household and it is a sad loss to her father and mother, who will greatly miss their only child.

G. B. Lowell's pig weighed 225 lbs. D. O. Bennett is lame and not able to go out much.

O. W. H. Merrow is having a rush of business at his taxidermist rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Potter were pleased with the apples sent for their boy.

Lafayette Waterhouse has gone to Vermont to spend the winter with his daughter.

Fred Ordway has been quite sick for a few days, but is now better and able to be out again.

The remark is being made that A. J. Haskell has one of the finest looking stores in the county.

During the recent heavy rains the bridge across was carried away.

H. W. Dennison, A. J. Haskell and J. E. Pike, three of our village traders, are distributing a neat looking calendar for 1902.

George L. Merrill, a member of the firm of Merrill, Springer & Co., showed a very kind feeling by leaving his business to attend the funeral of Elsie Ordway and assist in the singing, which way is kindly appreciated by both parents and relatives.

SUNDAY RIVER.

Returned from the Philippine War. Wm. Richardson, who has recently returned from the Philippine War is visiting his mother, Mrs. J. F. Eames.

Andrew Jackson went to Portland, last Friday.

Julian Stowe was home from Ketchikan over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Eames were in Rumford, last week.

Erio Stowe is working for Robert Bean, cutting poplar.

Mrs. Bertha Williamson has gone to Errol where she will spend the winter.

James Stuart of Berlin, N. H., has been spending a few days at L. C. Eames.

Mary Brook and Nell Preble attended the concert given by Rowden Glee club at Bethel, last Friday evening.

Everett and Grover Brown and Lorna Littlehale returned to their school at Littlehale Academy after a two weeks vacation.

There will be a Christmas tree at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Eames on Christmas night. Every one is invited to attend.

BROWNFIELD.

Will Teach in Japan.

George Haley is at Conway Corner for a few weeks teaching school. He is making preparations to start for Japan, the last of the month, where he will teach.

Mrs. Thomas Harmon is working at Irvin Linscott's.

Mrs. C. W. Harmon has been quite ill, but is now better.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warren of Fryeburg spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. S. G. Boynton.

Mrs. Sarah W. Greenlaw of North Lymington is visiting her sister, Mrs. Albert Blake.

Mrs. Julia Bean has closed her house and will spend the winter with Mary and Patty Wentworth.

A special meeting of the Universalist circle met at Mrs. E. B. Bean's, Monday afternoon. A good attendance was reported.

S. N. Adams, Master of the Grange here, started for Bangor, Monday, to attend a State meeting of the Grange. His wife accompanied him.

Mrs. Eliza Meserve, who slipped and fell upon the ice a short time ago, breaking her ankle, is improving. Her niece, Eva Wentworth, is at work there.

Friday, Saturday and Sunday the thermometer registered from 58 to 60 degrees. The rain, Saturday night and Sunday carried off all the snow making the roads very muddy. Monday it was cold again.

GILEAD.

Visitors in Town.

Will Paschal and son from Jefferson were in town, Tuesday; Dottie Peabody, Friday; Mrs. R. L. Bennett, Thursday; Fred Bemis, last week Tuesday.

Edna Merrill went to Bethel, Saturday.

Albert Bennett is opening a new store in town.

Minnie Chaplin and daughter went to Bethel, Thursday.

Albert Seacott and two sons went to Gorham, Saturday.

Billie Morse and wife are boarding at J. W. Bennett's tavern.

We have had a heavy rain taking all of our snow away. Business is dull till some more snow falls.

Mrs. Joe Rowe and children were called to Gorham, N. H., Saturday, on account of the death of her cousin, Archie Gochie.

OTISFIELD.

Elias Davis is gaining slowly. Clyde Twombly is sick with the grip. Nettie Scribner is teaching school at Harrison.

Wilber Plummer is home from Boston a few days.

Gene Edwards helped trap a fine fox a few days ago.

Hattie Scribner is teaching school at Bolster's Mills.

Gene Edwards called on friends in Waterford, recently.

Mrs. A. F. Hamill visited friends at Poland Spring, recently.

Gene Scribner is home on a short vacation from Concord, N. H.

Ed Gerish and wife have gone to Connecticut to work, this winter.

Mrs. Eugene Edwards is at work for Mrs. Henry Maxfield at Edes' Falls.

School commenced in District No. 1, Dec. 1, taught by Blanche Dean of Paris.

SOUTH ALBANY.

Piley Henly has a new horse. He has swapped with Charles Grover.

P. P. Dresser has hired Irving Staples of Welchville to work for the coming winter.

Maud Dresser has finished her school at Lynchville and is now teaching at East Oxford.

L. A. Sawin, wife and children, with Florence Browne of North Waterford are at Grover Hill for a few days.

HARBOR.

The Circle Entertained.

Mrs. C. A. Evans entertained the circle last week Wednesday. A large company took supper and listened to the following program:

Singing..... Herman Merrill
Recitation..... Four children
Exercise..... Ella Hall
Recitation..... Louisa Hall
Song..... Mrs. Dorothy
Recitation..... Mary Hall
Dues..... Ann Hutchins
Recitation..... Mrs. Bumpus
Recitation..... Lloyd Howe
Recitation..... Agnes Davis
Reading..... Raymond Farrington
Recitation..... Mrs. Barker
Song..... Mrs. Leavitt
Recitation..... Sadie Howe
Reading..... Mrs. Bradley

Mrs. H. F. Thompson has been visiting in the place.

The children are preparing for an Xmas tree, Xmas night.

Mrs. Abbie Knight is spending the winter with the family of O. W. Waterhouse.

Mrs. Eugene Leavitt and brother Frank visited friends in Denmark, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farrington and Mrs. C. E. Stanley were in Bridgeport, last week Monday.

Neighbor Pray is getting so thoughtful some one must look after him. He goes to cut wood without his axe and comes home looking sheepish. Let us hand to help him remember that he cannot cut wood without an axe.

WEST PARIS.

S. Keene lost a valuable horse last week.

Della Ridlon kept shop for Mrs. Farnham Saturday.

Mrs. Jerry Cole has returned from a visit to E. J. Murch, South Paris.

Win Emmons is home from Roxbury suffering with a boil on the back of his neck.

Mina Bryant returned home Saturday night from South Paris where she has been visiting.

Mrs. O. K. Yates spent a few days last week with her niece, Mrs. Chas. Dunham at Norway.

Delia Lane has returned from Clinton where she has been with her nephew, Dr. S. L. Andrews.

The friends and schoolmates of Horatio Hammond gave him a birthday party at his home Tuesday evening.

Arthur Ricker has finished work for the Paris Mfg. Co., and come home to work in the corn shop, making cans for next year's canning season.

S. T. White has been more than busy the past week selling telephone supplies and getting out his Christmas display. He shipped eight Ericsson instruments and other supplies to go with them to Buckfield recently.

Mrs. F. S. Farnum went to Portland Saturday to purchase goods for her Christmas trade. She has a nice line of handkerchiefs and fancy goods and her hand painted souvenir calendars are very pretty. She is selling millinery regardless of cost. See ad.

NAPLES.

Making Hoops.

Thomas Mayberry and Charles Wentworth are busily engaged in making hoops in Harrison.

Horace Artherton is working at Charles Brackett's.

Mrs. Charles Wentworth is working at Almon Welch's.

Ed. Morton has sold his horse to George Lakin of Windham.

W. B. Chute bought a pair of steers of Charles Burnham, last week.

Charles Littlehale just in the shadow of Harrison has gone to Portland for a few days.

Mrs. Flora Jewett and children visited at her home, Mrs. Warren Chute's, on Thursday last.

Charles Richardson is sick with pneumonia. His daughter is slowly gaining from the same disease.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

WHEREAS it has pleased the Great Master of the universe to again enter our Lodge and the summons one more of our members to that Grand Lodge above, therefore be it

Resolved, That by the death of Brother John Robinson, Oxford Lodge, No. 61, I. O. O. F., a kind and respected member, the family a kind husband and friend, the community in which he lived an upright and honest citizen.

Single Copies of the Advertiser can be found each week on sale at the following places, at 4 cents each.

Norway... F. P. Stone's and Noyes Drug Store
So. Paris... L. Sturtevant & F. S. Shurtliff
Bethel... G. R. Wiley's
Fryeburg... J. E. Brown's
West Paris... S. T. White's

Orders for single copies at 4 cents each sent direct to the office of publication will be promptly filled. Advertiser, Norway, Me.

NORWAY AND VICINITY

Last Night of the Lecture Course.
The lecture course at the Opera House under the auspices of the senior class of the high school, closed, Thursday evening, with an entertainment by the Bowdoin College Glee, Mandolin and Guitar Clubs.

The club gave a fine musical to a good sized house, more attending this, we believe, than the lectures, held on previous occasions. The program also included several fine readings and violin solos, both of which received several encores.

The clubs gave entertainments at Rumford, Falls, Norway, Bethel, Mechanic Falls and other towns in the vicinity, on this trip, and later in the season contemplate traveling through Massachusetts.

Arrangements were made whereby they stopped last night at Rumford Falls trip. In that way the high school class saved considerable on their expenses, and upon their arrival here several private families entertained the members of the clubs, thus saving what would have been quite an item.

The net proceeds of the course amounted to \$115.

The Bowdoin boys were entertained during their stay in Norway as follows:

Ralph W. Hellenbrand, Ed. Samuel B. Gray of Oldtown by Mr. and Mrs. John A. Woodman, Philip H. Cobb, Portland, and Jesse D. Wilson, Brunswick, by Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ridlon, (Glen's Hotel).

Paul Preble, Auburn, and John A. Green, Coplin, by Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hathaway, (Glen's Hotel).

Sydney R. Larrabee and Franklin Lawrence, Portland, by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Danforth, Bernard Archibald of Houlton and Millard F. Chase of Brooks by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sargent.

Malcolm's Woodbury, Woodfords, and Francis J. Welch of Portland by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kimball.

Harvey D. Gibson of North Conway, N. H., and Harrison K. McCann of Westbrook by Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Bradbury.

Harris A. Jones of Portland and Robert R. Eaton of Brunswick by Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Baker.

Thomas S. Chase of Auburn and Harry L. Palmer of Buxton by Dr. and Mrs. A. N. French.

Robert E. Hall of Dover and James A. Clarke of Danville of Houlton by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adams.

George B. Farnsworth of Bethel and Leon V. Walker of Oxford by Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Stone.

Clifford H. Preston of Farmington and Ansel C. Denning of East Poland by Mr. and Mrs. Chester W. Horn.

Chester B. Emerson of West Alton, N. H., and Philip K. Green of Bethel's Mills by Mr. and Mrs. Herman L. Stone.

Eben R. Haley of Gardiner and Thomas H. Blake of Bangor by Albert M. Rollins, (Glen House).

Gilman-Hobbs.

There was a beautiful wedding at the First Baptist parsonage at 4:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, when Everett W. Gilman, the well-known produce dealer on Broadway, and Clara M. Hobbs, also of this city, were united in marriage by Rev. T. H. Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Gilman have gone for a two weeks' honeymoon to the famous Maple Croft farm at Norway, the birthplace of the bride. On their return they will reside at 855 Broadway.—From Daily Lynn Item, Dec. 1901.

Eight-Pound Salmon Dipped in a Pail.
While boys were dipping water from the brook for use in Gerry's laundry, Monday morning, they caught an eight-pound salmon in the bucket. The fish was placed on exhibition in Gerry's laundry which during the morning had the appearance of doing the most business of any store in town, so many people went to look at the "beauty."

C. F. Whitman has been nominated trial justice.

D. M. Sturtevant and wife of Magalloway were in town, Friday.

Guy L. Thurston and wife of Errol, N. H., were in town, Friday.

Grace B. Holden will spend two weeks visiting in Boston and Billerica, Mass.

Charles Emerson went to Hallowell, not long since to work. He is a shoe cutter.

Fred Lafarrier, a teacher at Hebron Academy has been home during his vacation.

Sarah L. Staples is in Boston, this week, after which she will go to Auburn to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Millett were called here from Massachusetts last week by the illness of Mr. Millett's mother.

Edith Richardson, who has been at the village for several weeks, has returned to her father's, Simon G. Richardson's.

Verne M. Whitman of Canton has composed several songs both the music and words; also instrumental pieces, such as marches, etc.

Fred W. Story, special inspector of the New England Telephone Company, was in town, Friday. Mr. Story was formerly from Laconia, N. H.

Norway Municipal Court.

In the case of Hamlin vs. Lafarrier heard before Judge Davis, Wednesday, the 11th, judgment was given for a balance of \$11.50 in favor of Hamlin. C. G. Hamlin of Gorham sued A. A. Lafarrier of Norway for the balance of \$13.25 which he claimed was due him on a lot of barrels sold to Lafarrier a year ago last August. On the other hand, Lafarrier claimed that he had overpaid Hamlin to the amount of 20 cents. Lafarrier appeared for himself and A. J. Stearns, esq., was counsel for Hamlin.

Advertiser Advertiser's Displays.

Many of our store keepers have this year excelled themselves in the quality of their goods and several have a larger stock this season than ever before.

New goods are arriving every day and the proprietors have made their windows attractive with their annual displays for Christmas.

We herewith give you some very good advice; advice which, if followed, will do much toward the advancement and prosperity of our town.

"Trade at home, and buy of those who advertise in the ADVERTISER, as they are the most progressive and you are sure to get good value for the money thus expended."

We do not mean they give you better value because they advertise with us, but because they have something of value, of which they wish to tell you, and use this as a medium, while those whose name you never see in these columns have nothing to say.

The money thus spent at home is kept circulating in the town and with prosperous merchants they will not only be better able to give you better value but the appearance of the town will in a very short time brighten with a larger shopping centre, new stores, prosperity will bring new citizens, and all this will be done by spending your money at home.

Besides this, you are your carfare in pocket, getting for the same sum you would expend there as good value and often better, and all these improvements which will surely come if this little piece of brotherly advice is taken to heart.

We give you the displays our advertisers are making for the Christmas trade, as advantageous to you who wish to buy a present for "him" or "her" as the case may be, and equally advantageous to our patrons who will do their best to supply your wants.

Any one who is not satisfied with the goods we have advertised in our columns by live up-to-date business men from a stove-lifter to a lady's dressing-sack, and from a pair of shoes to a Christmas dinner.

Norway.

Smiley's Shoe Store have a display of winter footwear for outside and in. A large trade is always done by them in slippers and of late years they have made a specialty of this line.

V. W. Hills' jewelry store is a most attractive place. He has besides the staple articles in jewelry many novelties; also spectacles, eyeglasses, fountain pens, pens and ballpoint pens.

The window has a fine display. Noyes has turned his store topsy-turvy during the past week, getting ready for the trade but has now settled down with a display of cups and saucers, one counter each of 25c, 10c and 5c to 1c, besides toilet sets without number, games, books, fancy jardanières and photograph holders.

Hobbs can make very little change in his stock, no matter how he may fix it as he has everything under the sun as usual. At Hobbs's you'll find anything from an appropriate present for any member of the family, "or some one else's" to a trowel or fire-cracker. All kinds of games, crockery, glassware or books.

E. F. Bicknell is carrying an increased general stock and has added a great variety of Christmas candies, fruit, nuts and general Christmas eatables.

Stone's Drug Store have added greatly to the attractiveness of their store by placing electric lights in the show cases, where they are exhibiting a large line of the best quality stationery, toilet articles, perfumes and about fifty styles of jack and pen knives for ladies, gents and children.

Leavitt has some very appropriate articles for Xmas gifts in skates, watches, purses and razors.

Fancy work baskets, sewing stands, rattan chairs, children's chairs, toy carts and everything in these lines will be found at Schnuer's.

S. B. & Z. S. Prince have a larger Christmas stock than ever before in the history of their business. Their special stock consists of initial, plain, embroidered and lace handkerchiefs from 3c to \$5.00, perfumes, toilet articles and many other goods.

The regular lines of goods are also very full.

Cole has not yet put in the whole of his Xmas display of jewelry, etc., but already has a fine line of silverware, watches, jewelry, music and musical merchandise and monogram stationery.

A "cost-sale" comes just at the right time for the Christmas shoppers at Mrs. Skillings'. Embroidery, fancy goods and everything in the store is marked at cost.

At the Tucker harness store, J. N. Fawcett has a large line of suit cases and bags, also all things needed for the harness, horse or carriage.

Candies, nuts, also "fixings" for that big dinner you contemplate having for your relatives and friends at Christmas.

J. E. Chase is carrying his usual stock of "everything." He has a line of jewelry and silverware which he purposes selling before Jan. 1st. This is a good chance to get a very acceptable Christmas gift.

Crocker has a large assortment of hardware, also razors, skates and pocket knives in abundance.

One of the finest displays we have seen in either this or surrounding towns was put in by a Main street firm, who in their window have a display of initial handkerchiefs which form the firm name of "Foster." The goods, including shirts, collars, etc., neckwear and handkerchiefs are finely displayed by a red and white background and colored electric lights, and the whole effect shows excellent taste and judgment.

Ridlon, although not having his full stock of Xmas goods, already has tastefully made a very good display of rugs, hassocks, carpet sweepers, etc., also oranges, fruit, nuts and various things to "tickle the palate."

J. Waldo Nash, the taxidermist, has quantities of different kinds of animals, birds and fish that would make most acceptable presents.

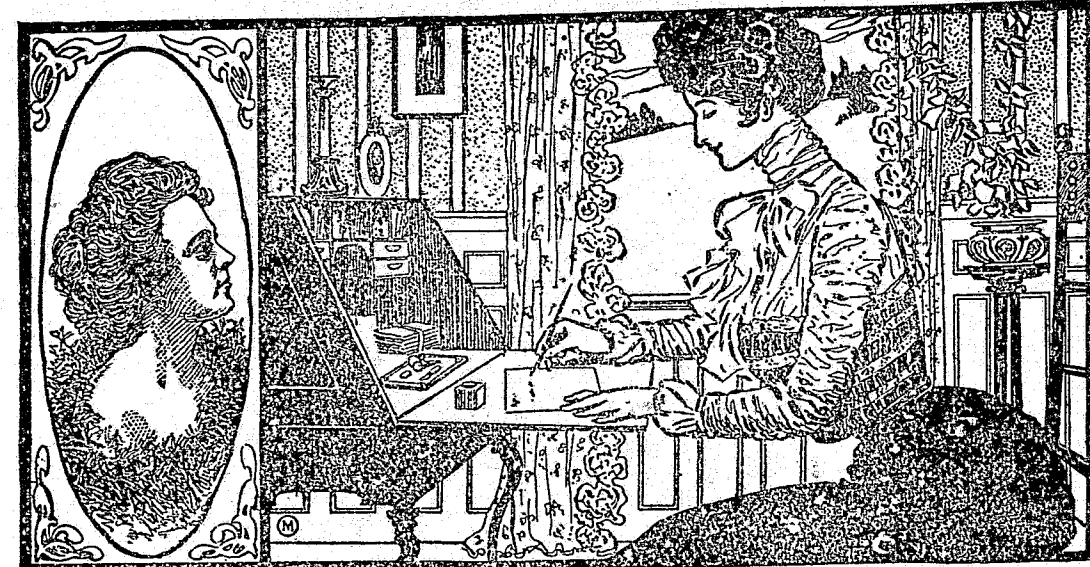
Dr. Austin Tenney has spectacles of all kinds.

Beck's Bazaar has toys and almost everything—china and glassware, dolls, jewelry, stationery, books, etc.

10 and 25 cent counters are many useful and beautiful articles. His goods overrun his store and the sidewalk in front is filled together with the two large show windows.

At Noyes Drug Store new lines of celluloid goods, medallions, Wedgewood historical plates, pocket-books and a whole show window is devoted exclusively to the display of dolls. You'll find something for every one from the week-old baby to your great-grandmother in the stock.

A noticeable window display is that of Thomas Smiley. In one window is a booth made of handkerchiefs in which dolls as clerks are selling handkerchiefs to customers (dolls). A fine line of lin-



Miss Marion Cunningham, the Popular Young Treasurer of the Young Woman's Club of Emporia, Kans., has This to Say of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Your Vegetable Compound cured me of womb trouble from which I had been a great sufferer for nearly three years. During that time I was very irregular and would often have intense pain in the small of my back, and blinding headaches and severe cramps. For three months I used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and aches and pains are as a past memory, while health and happiness is my daily experience now. You certainly have one grateful friend in Emporia, and I have praised your Vegetable Compound to a large number of my friends. You have my permission to publish my testimonial in connection with my picture. Yours sincerely, MISS MARION CUNNINGHAM, Emporia, Kans."

\$5000 FORFEIT IF THE ABOVE LETTER IS NOT GENUINE.

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone," and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues, and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

Fryeburg.

Richard Bradley, a native of Fryeburg, who died in Seattle, Wash., on Saturday evening, November 30, served in the Civil War successively as sergeant in Company H of the 23d Maine Regiment and as 2d Lieutenant in Company F of the 30th Maine Regiment.

The Seattle Daily Times of Monday, December 2, contained the following obituary notice: "Capt. Richard Bradley, one of the best-known of the Seattle survivors of the War of the Rebellion, died suddenly of heart disease at the residence of C. L. Brown, No. 153 Sixteenth Avenue, Saturday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Capt. Bradley was an old resident of Seattle, and was formerly commander of Miller Post, G. A. R. He was a familiar figure on the streets of the city, and had hosts of friends among the old soldiers."

Up until two months ago, Capt. Bradley was in his usual good health. He began to complain of his heart, however, and several days ago was stricken with what he believed was an apoplectic fit. This trouble and him considerably, and he rapidly grew worse. For a week before his death, he complained to his friends regarding his health, and to some of them stated his belief that he would not last much longer. Saturday afternoon he appeared on the streets, but was in an unsteady condition. He went to Mr. Brown's residence early in the evening. There he complained of being ill. Dr. Carpenter was summoned, and after an examination advised his patient to remain quiet and not expose himself. A short time afterward he started to go into an adjoining room, but fell to the floor. He was conscious for a few minutes, but passed away before anything could be done for him.

The deceased resided in Seattle for sixteen years. At one time he held the position of deputy customs inspector, and was also a deputy United States Marshal. At one time also he was the Indian agent in charge of the Tulalip reservation. His brother, Alexander S. Bradley, is an attorney of Chicago.

He was 47 years of age. In addition to his brother, Alexander S. Bradley, of Chicago, he left a brother, D. W. Bradley, in the postal service at Denver, and another, G. P. Bradley, a naval surgeon stationed at Washington, D. C.

The funeral, which was under the auspices of Miller Post, G. A. R., took place at 10 o'clock a. m. on Thursday, December 5, and was attended by one of the largest gatherings of representative old soldiers ever assembled in Seattle for such service. Interment was in the G. A. R. cemetery.

Herbert A. Hodson was in Rochester, N. H., the past week, visiting friends.

PORTER.

Friday, the 6th, coldest morning for the winter. The thermometer was 24 below, which made us think that winter was here to stay.

Daniel Wentworth has a very nice white head steer calf.

William Philbrick is cutting his pine timber and hauling it to the river.

Sarah Lord of Parsonsfield is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Daniel Wentworth.

John Cummings has commenced to skid the hemlock timber and haul it to the river.

Lilla Rice is quite sick. She is helpless and is not expected to live but a short time.

Mrs. Everett Wentworth was called to Limerick, one day last week, to see her sister who is very sick.

Frank Gilman has bought a very nice pair of two years old steers, which girl six feet and a half, of David Varney. They are called the best pair in town.

Harriman-Gregg.

A very pretty wedding took place, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 12, at the residence of the groom's parents in Bridgton, the contracting parties being Linwood A. Harriman, son of Postmaster Abel H. Harriman, and Elizabeth Bella Crocker Gregg of Andover. The marriage was solemnized by Rev. C. C. Whidden of the Methodist church in the presence of the family and a few invited guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Harriman have the hearty congratulations and best wishes of a host of friends. They will make their home in Andover, where the elder Harriman has large lumber interests.

The next meeting of the Oxford County Medical Association will be held at Mechanic Falls, Monday, Dec. 30, at 10.45 a. m., with the following program: Movable Kidney—paper by Dr. Frank W. Sylvester, Harriman, Bethel.

Discussion opened by Dr. Horatio Woodbury, South Paris.

Appendicitis: Etiology, Pathology, Symptoms, Diagnosis and Treatment, Medical and Surgical—paper by S. F. Caldwell, Rumford Falls.

Discussion opened by Dr. B. F. Bradbury, Norway.

BLUE STORES

How Swift the Years Glide by.
We again approach the

Happy Time of Gift Making.

Every year this season grows more important to us and our customers. People are learning to buy useful presents, combining pleasure and value. We are offering unusual attractions.

Beautiful Neckwear, Mufflers, Fancy Suspenders, Armlets, Cuff Buttons, Shirt Studs, Stick Pins, Gloves and Mittens, Fur Gloves, Fur Caps, Bath Robes and House Coats.

Grand display of HANDKERCHIEFS, in cotton, lawn, japonette, linen and silk, in plain white, colored borders and fancy, with and without initial, 2c to 50c each.

Then there is always something in our large stock of CLOTHING and FURNISHINGS that you can select to make glad those you hold in loving remembrance. We invite you one and all to visit our stores and look over our wares. We will be pleased to show you.

F. H. NOYES CO.,
NORWAY. 2 STORES. SO. PARIS.

Open Evenings from Dec. 16, until after Christmas.

A CARD.

After selling so large amount of goods as I have in the last ten days, I find I have more than I wish to pack, and as I am so near the Holidays, I have decided to remain until after the Holiday season is past, and all my patrons will find a fine new stock of Holiday Goods, at rock bottom prices, and all goods first-class and just as represented.

A full and complete line of genuine Hohner Harmonicas, all styles and prices, just received.

A fine line of Medallions. Also a lot of Beautiful Busts and Statuettes, made of a new composition, a beautiful Imitation of Ivory, which can easily be cleaned with water without the slightest injury, are exact reproductions of the famous originals found in the well-known Art galleries of Europe, and must not be confounded with the cheap plaster casts produced by Italians in this country.

W. C. McARDLE, Norway, Maine.

IF IN DOUBT

what to buy your friends for Christmas Gifts, just take a look at our

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Perhaps you will get an inspiration.

You will see

Dinner Sets, Ice Cream Sets, Orange Bowls, Salad Bowls, Cups, Mugs, Plates and Odd Pieces in Dainty China, etc.,

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McClure's

ARE you interested in your fellows? Are you concerned in the affairs of life? Do you care anything about the great men who have brought about the conditions in which you live, and those who are in power to-day? Do you enjoy wholesome, animated stories that are true to life? Do you care for beauty in any form? Then there is no escape for you; you must join the army who read McClure's regularly.

A FEW FEATURES FOR 1902

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SOUTH WATERFORD.

A Former Resident Dead.
Mrs. Leander Rowe, formerly of this village, recently died of pneumonia in Harrison. Her remains were taken to her old home in this place, where the obsequies were held, last Wednesday. Deceased leaves a husband, one son and one daughter. Interment was in Elm Vale cemetery.

Now the hunted deer will get a rest. Kate Stone of this place died recently. Melville Monroe is working at his trade in North Waterford.

Lewis Merrill has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Fred Knightly, of East Waterford.

Frank Stearns is making preparations to go to Gorham, this winter, to work in the woods.

E. G. Emerson has exchanged his horses, the leaders, with Maurice Lakin of Harrison.

The cream gatherers are having a serious time driving over the bare and frozen roads.

C. Willard and E. Pike went to Portland, Saturday, to get two horses that Mr. Pike bought in Boston.

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Who has a store plumb full of goods. And now that Christmas time is here, The people come from far and near, For he has presents to suit them all.

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BRYANT'S FOND.

Mrs. Abbie Stearns died in Kankakee, Illinois, Dec. 15, aged about 60 years. Mrs. Stearns was the daughter of the late Capt. B. F. Crawford of this village. She married Kendall Stearns of Paris, who died some twelve years ago. Her remains will be brought here, Wednesday, for interment in Lakeside cemetery.

M. M. Hathaway and Frank Lane are packing apples in Rumford and Greenwood.

R. O. Dunn and wife are staying at Lizzie Meader's. Mr. Dunn has charge of the winter school here.

Carl W. Harvey of Enosburg Falls was in town, last week. He is settling up the estate of D. A. Harvey & Co.

The spool factory saw mill started up, Dec. 9th. Capt. Dearborn intends to saw one thousand cords of birch, this winter.

The Pythian Assembly entertainment, Tuesday evening, was quite well attended, though the traveling was horrible. They gave a good show and the dance was patronized to a late hour.

Instructor Bottelle was in town, last week, looking over a route for free delivery of mail. The proposed route takes in the Gore, Milton, East Milton, Sygoteh and North Woodstock. He recommended that it be established and appointed D. A. Cole as mail carrier.

Mumps are in town and many are having sore throats.

The Rumford stage was unable to get here, last Monday.

Lida Farrar is in a very suffering condition. Mrs. Carrie Marsh is still with her.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bacon started, last Monday, for Bangor to attend the State Fair, which is held there, this week.

Clara Bryant opens her shop on Tuesdays and Saturdays. The remaining time she is at home with her sister, Mrs. F. P. Cole.

The rain of last Sunday was a powerful one. It carried the snow off, except the drifts, and washed the roads badly in many places so they were impassable.

The sad news came to this village, last Monday, of the death of Mrs. Abbie Crawford Stearns of Kansas. The remains are to be brought here and laid beside her husband, Kendall Stearns, in Lakeside cemetery.

DENMARK.

Some Heavy Weights.
Frank True killed a 200-pound hog for C. O. Pendexter, a 300-pound one for Fernando Witham and a 500-pound one for A. H. Witham.

Blacksmiths are busy and happy. Dr. S. T. Brown went to Portland, Saturday, the 14th.

Roy Leman returned home from Connecticut, the 12th.

Frank Whales has bought a cow of Fred Sanborn, a Jersey.

A. P. Pingree had two teams drawing bark to Hiram, last week.

Minnie Harnden came home from Newton, Mass., Tuesday, Dec. 10th.

Henry Merrill of Hiram was up Sunday in the rain, seeking some girl help.

Sidney Smith shot two deer, last week, one on Tuesday and one on Wednesday, near Hiram.

Clara Davis and Webster Davis are down from Fryeburg to spend the school vacation of two weeks.

Mrs. Henry Warren returned, Saturday, the 14th, from her four weeks' visit to friends in Haverhill, Mass.

Daniel Johnson went to Norway, Saturday, and carried his daughter Linna, who will work in the shoe shop.

Teaming on the road is at a stand-still till snow comes. Cutting timber and skidding it in the woods still goes on.

Mrs. Hattie Jones went to Portland, Saturday, the 14th, to have her eyes treated. Mrs. Belcher accompanied her.

Geo. Hartford, son of Simeon Hartford of Massachusetts, has been staying two weeks with his uncle Sherman and grandfather.

Edward Weaver and wife of Milan, N. H., came, last Friday, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Harriman. She stays awhile with her parents and he returned, Monday, the 16th, to Milan.

NORTH FRYEBURG.

The rain which commenced to fall about twelve, Saturday night, and continued the greater part of the day, Sunday, raised the water in the brook so it flowed in over the meadow as high if not higher than it was, last spring, at high water. It froze before morning, and when the sun rose it was a beautiful sight, sparkling like silver.

Melinda Wiley is visiting her brother, Albert Wiley.

Ernest Bartlett of East Stoneham was in town, last week.

Fred Wescott arrived, Saturday. He is boarding with L. O. Giles.

Mrs. Ina Grover is at home. She has been staying at Wm. Culbert's, North Stoneham, for several weeks.

Several couples attended the circle at South Chatham at Seth Webb's. Some eighty or more took supper. All reported good time.

Ina Charles returned to her school at Fryeburg Corner, Monday. It has been postponed several weeks on account of scarlet fever in the place.

STANLEY.

Snow all gone and plenty of mud and water for the logging teams.

Melvin Kenard has gone to work for Chas. Towle of Freedom, N. H.

Orison Libby has bought a horse, harness and sleigh of Simeon Day.

E. F. McIntire of Fryeburg has commenced sawing staves at his steam mill.

Alvin Dowd of Hiram was in the place the 14th, looking after his logging team.

Leyle Giles and wife came home to stay for the winter. They have been to Exeter, N. H., working in the shoe shop.

Mrs. Mary E. Stevens of North Paris has rented her store and tenement for two years and will live with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Young.

EAST SUMNER.

Nellie Hibbard of Gorham is visiting friends at East Sumner, where she formerly resided for several years. Her father, Rev. D. S. Hibbard, is expected later and may supply the Congregational pulpit for one or two Sabbaths during the absence of the pastor. 1902 will be the centennial year of the Congregational church in Sumner as the church was founded in 1802.

NORTH WATERFORD.

The Drama.
Rebecca's Triumph will be given at I. O. O. F. Hall, Friday evening, Dec. 20.

Cast of characters:
Mrs. Delane, a wealthy lady..... Rosa York
Mrs. Delane, a widow..... Nora Dresser
Rebecca, a foundling..... Lizzie Farmer
Clara Goddard, spinster..... Bernice Leboke
Dora Gains, Our Club..... Florence Brown
Sadie Woodman, "..... Addie Greene
Sallie Dumbler, "..... Bertha Brown
Emma Stevens, "..... Edna Brown
Grace Greenwood, "..... Edna Manning
Maria Gray, "..... Mary Manning
Alice Leeds, "..... Minnie Saunders
Gussie Greene, "..... Annie Savin
Katie Connor, an Irish girl..... Elizabeth Manning
Agg, a vagrant..... Elizabeth Manning

Social dance after the drama.

Mr. Soule, the drummer, was in town, last week.

Fred Littlefield is helping Walter Douglass, cutting stave timber and hard wood.

G. B. Rice butchered a nice hog for Geo. Farmer on Tuesday week; also a pig for Tom Jones.

Arthur, son of P. W. Saunders, who has been on the sick list with jaundice, is again out and in his father's store.

G. O. Farmer and daughter, Belle Jones, attended the funeral of his son at her brother at Lovell, last Wednesday.

Mrs. H. E. Rice called on Mrs. Chas. Saunders, last Tuesday. Her young babe, nine weeks old, has a bad cold and cough.

Hannibal Kneeland, who lives on the Chaplin place, is soon to go and live with his son Warren. Mr. K. is a pretty feeble old man.

James Levalve, who has been visiting at Tom Jones', is going to work for Frank Morse on the Andrew Kimball place, cutting wood and timber.

Bessie Hamlin arrived home, last Saturday. Miss H. has finished teaching at Waterville and when she returns, Dec. 27th, she goes to Chelsea, Mass., where she is to teach.

The Flat Circle was entertained, this week Wednesday, with Mrs. Ella Rice Millett, to which Chas. H. Rice and wife and Geo. B. Rice and wife have been invited to meet with them.

Serena and Harriet Chaplin are staying for the winter at G. O. Farmer's. Ellen R. Millett and daughter, Cora, who have been living there, are now keeping house in the village in J. F. Rice's rent.

OXFORD.

Will Winter in Florida.
Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Hersey went to Boston Monday to spend Christmas with their daughter, Heloise Hersey. They will go from there to Florida where they will spend the winter.

Bert Martin has returned from Boston.

Leland Stone is now a weaver in the woolen mill.

Mrs. Wm. Lombard is quite ill with heart trouble.

Dr. O. M. Stevens went to Portland Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bennett will move into their new house next week.

Leon Walker of Bowdoin college is at home for the Christmas holidays.

The Woolen Mill Co. could not run the mill Monday on account of backwater.

The parsonage is completed and Rev. and Mrs. Frederick Newport are moving in.

Mrs. Mary Bosworth, who has been ill for the past three weeks, was out again Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Walker and daughter Margaret went to Lewiston Saturday.

L. Record and Mrs. A. N. Record attended the ball at Minot on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. F. N. Barker of Norway spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Holden.

Mrs. Truworthly Towne has gone to Gardiner where her husband is at work in a woolen mill.

Sarah Coulton, who is working in Bridgton, came home Saturday for the Christmas holidays.

George Houghton, who has been ill with bronchial trouble for several weeks is slowly improving.

Mrs. Perley French is absent from her post at the woolen mill and is having trouble with her eyes.

Mrs. Frank Holden, who has been ill for a long time, passed away Monday, Dec. 16, aged 83 years.

William Robinson, who is in poor health, is out again. He has been confined to the house for several weeks.

Nellie Daniels has returned to her home in Seneca, N. H. Jennie Daniels is also working in the mill in Seneca.

Sons of Temperance held their 12th anniversary supper last Thursday evening. A good time was enjoyed by all.

Rev. A. A. Callaghan is having a two weeks' vacation from his studies. He will preach a special Christmas sermon, Dec. 22, and a New Year's sermon, Dec. 29.

ALBANY.

Valley Road.
Stephen Libby is away visiting.

Chas. McAllister is putting in a new pump.

O. H. Saunders was in Portland, recently.

James Flint has been visiting at P. Flint's.

Will Rice has returned to his home in Boston.

G. E. Grover has his ice house ready to pack with ice.

Mrs. Isiah Heselton visited at the Corner, recently.

E. E. French went to Sumner to see his brother, last week.

John Sanborn has returned to his home in Exeter, N. H.

O. H. Saunders will work for C. H. Fernald, cutting timber.

Iva and Nell Rand are spending the winter with relatives here.

Where are the weather prophets? Do they get drowned in the late flood? Round Mountain Grange Master elect, Roy Wardwell, attended State Grange at Bangor.

Will Rand came from Swift river and spent Sunday with his mother. His sleigh will not be of much use just now. More snow predicted.

The rain, Sunday, washed the roads badly.

Fred Clark and Archie Wilbur from Bolster's Mills were in town, Friday.

Mr. Flint and wife from Sweden are visiting at Abel Andrews', this week.

EAST BETHEL.

Whist Parties.
Helen E. Bartlett gave a very pleasant whist party to a number of her lady friends at her home on the afternoon of Dec. 14th, in honor of her birthday. Coffee, cake and fruit were served. She was the recipient of a number of pretty presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Insley Young entertained the Young Whist Club on the evening of Tuesday, Dec. 10th, in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Corliss. The gentlemen's prize was won by G. W. Tracy. Three ladies scored the same number and out for the prize which fell to Mrs. C. M. Kimball. Refreshments were served, after which a phonograph entertainment was given by Will Holt.

Mrs. Carrie Bartlett spent last week at Byron.

Foye Brown is cooking in camp at Byron for Z. W. Bartlett.

Mrs. F. B. Howe entertained the Ladies' Union, last Thursday afternoon.

Jennie and Blanche Swan, Amy Bartlett and Lester Bean are attending school at Gould Academy.

BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Nathaniel Warren is working in Portland.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Fannie Wright this month.

The little children of Fred Noble have the whooping cough.

The severe rain storm prevented services at the church last Sabbath.

Chas. Dunham, who has been working for Walker Mills, has returned to his home.

The Christian Endeavor prayer-meeting meets at the home of our pastor, G. W. Barber.

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Former price, this Sale			MEN'S OVERSHIRTS	42c
CHALLIS	3c	Per Yd	Blue, Brown and Gray, fast colors, never sold less than 50c, at this Sale	
Good for Summer Dresses, also for Puffs, never sold less than 5 or 6c, this Sale			MEN'S PANTS	\$1.79
PERCALE	6 1/2c	Per Yd	Winter weight, warranted not to rip. Are a great bargain at \$2 at this Sale	
22 in. wide, light and dark. Former price 12 and 12 1/2c, this Sale			MEN'S SWEATERS	
OUTING FLANNELS	6c	Per Yd	We have a good line, all sizes, that must be sold	
Very pretty styles and good quality, former price 8 and 9c, at this Sale			BOOTS AND SHOES	
COTTON BATTING	9c	Per Yd	Men's, Women's and Children's. Odds and broken sizes at about Half Price	
12 1/2c quality, full lb. rolls			RUBBERS	25c
			Old lots and broken sizes. Ladies' and Children's. Your choice	
			LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR, at greatly reduced prices.	

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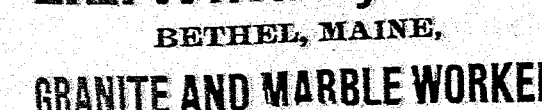
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To all persons interested in either of the Es- tates heretofore named.
At a Probate Court, held at Fryeburg, in and for the County of Oxford, on the first Tuesday of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and one. The fol- lowing matter having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the published at Norway, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris on the third Tuesday of Jan- uary, A. D. 1902, at 9 o'clock in the fore- noon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

ALBION WYMAN, late of Wakefield, N. H., deceased, copy of will and petition for allow- ance thereon, presented by Narcissa A. Wy- man.

MARY J. BLAKE, late of Brownfield, de- ceased, final account presented presented for allowance by Albert Blake, executor.

ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court. A true copy—attest:
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BETHEL.

Middle Interval.
M. C. Bacon, war veteran, has gone to Bridgton.

Herbert Downes of South Bethel is yet with his uncle, Joseph Oliver.

Chester Bean, formerly of Middle In- terval, spent his vacation in Boston.

Minnie Capen spent Thanksgiving day with her parents, Ed Capen and wife.

Florence E. Kimball has returned from Portland to her home at Maple and Pine Farm.

Mrs. Wm. Chase is so poorly she has a girl to help her. And she has a hus- band who is seen quite frequently wash- ing dishes and at the wash tub. Some women do out of door work, but it is not so easy for a man to work in the kitchen.

Ellen P. Kimball has a fine photo of J. P. Packard, soldier in war of 1861, which was given to Mrs. Edmund Holt while attending school at Gould Acad- emy. Mr. Packard was one of the first volunteers in Co. E, 23rd Maine Regiment.

Grover Hill.
Fred Wheeler will commence teaming soon.

W. M. Brown has purchased a new sleigh.

Eliphallet Haynes has employment at West Bethel.

Mrs. P. Wheeler has been sick a few days.

A. L. Whitman has been cutting wood for Peter Wheeler.

Mrs. Angelina Walker has been afflicted with neuralgia.

Mrs. Freeland Bennett has been quite ill for a few days.

L. N. Bartlett and son have been cut- ting wood for Fritz Tyler.

Roscoe Carver was at Mrs. A. V. Walker's a few days, recently.

Mrs. A. L. Whitman and daughter Beatrice have been in Milan, N. H.

Albert L. Whitman and son have been cutting Freeland Bennett's year's fire- wood.

Mrs. Abiah Bennett is at West Bethel for a few days visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Vienna Holt.

Clyde Walker is at home at the pre- sent time, attending school on the Flat with the other pupils in this district.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Tyler, and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rice from Bethel Hill were entertained at the home of their par- ents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bartlett, Sun- day, the 7th.

Charles Chute has returned from Cor- nith to his home in Bethel.

Mrs. Wm. B. Holmes is enjoying a two weeks' visit with friends in Lincoln.

Mrs. Betsey Bennett will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. E. S. Woodard at Plymouth, N. H.

R. E. Powers died suddenly at his home in Locke's Mills, last week Wed- nesday night. He was a member of Mt. Abram Lodge, I. O. O. F., and the fun- eral will be held under the auspices of the order.

Mrs. B. W. Andrews of Lovell Center will spend the winter with her daughter Mrs. Charles C. Farwell, on Railroad St.

Mr. Farwell had been at Lovell Center for seven weeks caring for Mrs. F.'s father, B. W. Andrews, who died the 8th.

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CASCO.
Christmas Tree.
There will be a Christmas tree and entertainment in the Casco Union church in the evening of Dec. 25.

Mrs. Whitson has gone to Newburg, N. Y., on a visit.

Rev. B. H. Penwarden, of Phippsburg was in town, Dec. 2.

Iva N. Spiller is at home from Bates College on a vacation.

The storms of the past week have put the roads in a bad condition.

Mellie Davis of Mechanic Falls has been visiting friends in town.

Gayle H. Mayberry returned to her school on Otisfield Gore, Dec. 2.

The Grange in this place seems to be prospering. They have initiations very often.

Violet Mayberry of Spurr's Corner vis- ited at Rev. Edward Tuck's, Dec. 7th and 8th.

A number from this place attended the drama at Bolster's Mills, Thanksgiv- ing night.

Millie Mann has gone to Farmington where she will attend the Normal School, this winter.

Kate Decker has returned from her sister's in Poland where she spent Thanksgiving.

A good many are sick in this vicinity, among whom are Mrs. R. E. Gay, Mrs. Edward Tuck, Mrs. H. M. Nichols, Her- man Brackett and Rev. J. A. Nichols.

Hon. J. Mona Lesser and wife of Mel- rose, Mass., spent Thanksgiving at L. W. Holden's. Mrs. Holden returned to Melrose with them, Monday, for a visit.

S. H. Mann has his new hall completed. Wm. Colby is working for M. L. Leach, chopping timber.

School began in the Shadlee district on the 2d, L. W. Kemp teacher.

The lumbermen are glad to see the snow and are busy improving it.

Cyrus and Mae Barton visited at their uncle's, W. C. Pinkham's on the 8th.

Fred Tenney, our stage driver, made his trip to Poland, Wednesday morning, Dec. 4th, but did not get back till Thursday night, the roads were so bad.

NORTHWEST BETHEL.
E. E. Twitchell of Boston has been visiting relatives in town.

SNOWS FALLS.

Home from a Pleasant Trip.
Mrs. Elva E. Locke, who has been across the continent during the past three months, returned to her home at West Paris, Dec. 20, after visiting her father and two brothers at Spokane, Wash., and friends in California, Denver, New York, Boston and Portland.

While away she also visited Niagara Falls, the Grand Canyon of Arizona, Salt Lake City and many other places of interest, spending a week in the Yosemite valley.

She attended the Pan-American Exposi- tion soon after the President's assassina- tion and viewed his remains lying in state. She was accompanied on her journey by her friend, Jenny H. Pierce of New York. Her two younger chil- dren, Mary and Barry, joined her at New York on her way home. Mrs. Locke visited her friend, Carrie F. Hammond, Saturday.

Edna E. Curtis is teaching school at North Woodstock.

Madison T. Bartlett, who has been ill for a long time, is falling gradually.

B. C. Curtis has recently traded for a pair of oxen with A. D. Littlehale of North Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Wood took part in the farce, "An American Harem," given at the Universalist circle at West Paris.

James Hooper Jackson, one of our oldest and most respected citizens passed away, Dec. 2. Mr. Jackson was a man of sterling integrity, honest in his deal- ings and a kind neighbor.

C. L. Curtis is in the employ of the Paris M'F'g Co. and at present is hauling pressed hay from the R. R. at West Paris to their camps in Albany. Later he will work in the woods for them. Gerald Swift is doing his chores.

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BYRON.
Takes Trips Abroad.

Where is the Buckfield Hill school- house stove? For the second time with- in the past year it has disappeared.

Buckskin Sam of Bemis has been in town.

There is some talk of a ball and oyster supper at the hall, Xmas.

Our schools are all in session. The Center school is taught by Mrs. Jones of Dixfield.

Deer hunting is quite good. Amos Alden returned home to Lynn, Mass., with a nice buck that he shot near Geo. Easter's.

E. C. Poland went to Lewiston recent- ly and bought a span of horses to be used on his job hauling birch from No. 6 to the siding at Gum Corner. His crew are camping in the Peare house.

SWEDEN.
Taken a Contract.

Walter E. Gordon has taken a contract to haul 50 cords of wood to Lovell for corn shop. Walter has recently bought six nice steers, two pairs four years old and one pair three years. They all seem to be on hand.

Andrew Libby has had quite an ill turn.

Wm. H. Gordon has slaughtered his hog. It weighed 525 lbs.

Edgar Tower and son are cutting their pine and hemlock timber, this winter.

Lester Briggs and wife attend the dancing school at Lovell, taught by Ed Warren of East Fryeburg.

Noah Smart and wife have gone to Fryeburg to spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Samuel Wiley.

EAST HEBRON.
Sick With Diphtheria.

Three of Arthur Lovell's children have diphtheria. Harry, the oldest, was the first one who was sick but is gaining now. The doctor at last used the new medicine at night when thought he could live but a very short time. The next morning he enjoyed having his playthings to play with. He is an in- telligent boy for 7 years, more so than is often met with, and can talk on almost any subject beyond the wisdom of boys of his age.

Dea. R. P. Fuller has had another very sick turn, but is somewhat on the gain now.

W. H. Berry and wife passed Thanksgiv- ing in Anson with relatives.

The social in Grange Hall was well attended, Thanksgiving evening. Some of our young people went to West Minot to a dance, others to Chase's Mills.

The ladies formed a sewing circle two weeks ago with Mrs. Mae Bonney as president and Mrs. Annie Tibbitts, vice- president. The circle will meet on this Thursday with Mrs. Anna Saunders. Sixteen were present when the circle was formed.

Addresses Wanted.
If any of our readers know the present address of any one of the following people it will be a favor if they will write us or hand them to the corre- spondent in their vicinity.

A. Grover, 23 C Gray St., Arlington, Mass.
B. G. Gilbert, Wentworth Location, N. H.
Lucy A. Grace, North Fryeburg.
Orie F. Haggood, Bethel.

Mrs. Oliver H. Kneeland, Mechanic Falls.
Mrs. H. C. Kilgore, Medway, Mass.
The Y. M. C. A., Washbrook.

Rosamond Lord, Fryeburg.
G. W. Richards, 59 Columbus St., Cambridge- port, Mass.

N. C. Sampson, 38 Central Wharf, Boston.
Will Stevens, Bethel.
C. H. Swift, Poland.

Charles Austin, Rumford Falls.
Elias N. Brown, 28 Vaughn St., Portland.
Albert B. Bean, West Bethel.

Minnie Dunham, 36 Grove St., Haverhill, Mass.
Geo. R. Swan, 25 Summer St., Lynn, Mass.
Joseph Oakes, Center, Lovell.

OXFORD.
C. H. Bumpus has purchased a fine cow at Hawkes Perkins.

Ida Atkinson and Mrs. H. H. Hall went to Portland lately.

Mrs. Clinton Bumpus and Mrs. Peter Venable went to Norway, recently.

S. H. Eaton and Ernest Davis went to Bridgton, Saturday, and George Heslop went, Sunday, a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Linnell of Otis- field called on Mrs. Linnell of Otis- field, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Bennett went to Lewiston on business, Sat., the 7th. Kate and Lizzie Coulton visited friends in Lewiston and Auburn.

Joseph Jacques and Howard Davis went to Lewiston, Friday, returning, Saturday.

THEY CRUSH THE POWERS

This is written in mid-October. The long, oppressive summer is quite gone. Fading leaf, withering tree and the rustling corn in the fields are signs of the season. Fog, frost, rain, snow, - they are coming. You remember last winter, of 1900 and 1901. The weather was cruel. Ah! the thousands it killed, and the hundreds of thousands it maimed and crippled. Oh, the rough grasp it laid on men at work, women at home, and children in cribs and cradles. Coughs that began before Thanksgiving Day are racking and tearing them still; yes, and growing worse as they dig deeper into the poor, tired throat and lungs. Many were cured by using Benson's Porous Plaster. For the soothing and healing power of these Plasters is wonderful. They conquer the complaints.

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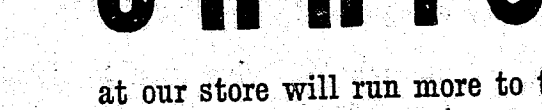
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